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INQUIRY STARTS INTO DISASTER

Coroner's Jury Selected After Bodies Are Brought From Henderson Mine

DATE OF INQUEST NOT SET

With the exception of one small section where the debris and wreckage is unusually heavy, rescue workers by this morning had penetrated into all portions of the Henderson mine, at Hendersonville, where two disastrous explosions occurred Tuesday and 13 bodies of the positively known 14 dead had been recovered and removed to Canonsburg to be prepared for burial at the mortuary of Deputy Coroner W. H. McNary.

The lone body unrecivered is that of William Oskoski. His remains are believed to be buried under the remaining mass of wreckage which is slowly being removed. The identification of the victims was accomplished under the direction of Coroner James Heffran. The official list of the dead follows:

STEVE JATKOWIC, Hendersonville, single.

JOHN ROZAM, Hendersonville, married; leaves wife and three children.

METRO YUKONE, Hendersonville, married; leaves wife and one child.

GEORGE MOLISH, Hendersonville, married; leaves wife and four children.

HARRY LASOCK, Hendersonville, married, leaves wife and two children.

DANIEL GOSSETT, Cecil, single.

JOSEPH GOSSETT, Cecil, married.

HECTOR GOSSETT, Cecil, single.

JOSEPH MISCHELL, Hendersonville; married; leaves wife and one child.

GEORGE SAMALLA, Hendersonville; single.

JOHN PADEN, Hendersonville, married; leaves wife andd two children.

JOHN MILLER, Hendersonville, married; leaves wife and three children.

MICHAEL PHILLIPS, Hendersonville; married, leaves wife and four children.

WILLIAM OSKOSKI, Hendresonville; married; leaves wife and one child.

Coroner Heffran will probably decide upon a definite date for the inquest in the disaster on Saturday. It is probable that the state mine inspectors will also participate in this. Coroner Heffran Wednesday selected the members of the jury for the inquest. They viewed the dead men and will visit the mine before the inquest. The members of the jury follow: T. M. Reese, Rev. W. P. Aikin, George G. Kerr, Rev. Thomas Zacharski, W. H. Dunlap, Sr., and Thomas Lightholder.

Quietness settled over the mining town of Hendersonville today. The crowds had dispersed to a great extent as most of the victims were removed during the night. The W. H. McNary mortuary at Canonsburg became the center that attracted the curious as well as the relatives and friends of those killed in the explosion.

When operations will be resumed at the mine is indefinite.

Burial of the victims will start on Friday. Services over the three Gossett brothers will be held then at Cecil with interment at Venice. John Rozam will be buried at Carnegie and the remainder will likely be interred at Canonsburg.

MONESSEN UNFAVORABLE TO USE OF DIMMERS ON AUTOS

Whether dimmers on automobiles and street cars are not favored in Monessen, or whether there are other reasons is not known, but council in regular session Wedesday evening turned down an ordinance compelling the use of dimmers. The ordinance had been previously considered and Wednesday was to have been the date of final passage.

REMOVING COWBOY JOE TO COUNTY JAIL TODAY

Will be Taken to Washington by Automobile—Wounds in Right Arm And Right Side Healed Sufficiently To Allow Of Trip.

Having recovered sufficiently from his wounds to permit of his removal "Cowboy Joe" Kokoski, who was lodged in the hospital Monday with two bullet wounds in his own body after he had fired upon Policeman G. W. Corey, will be given a preliminary hearing today before Justice of the Peace Harry W. Scott at North Charleroi and taken to Washington to jail this afternoon by automobile. Kokoski's wounds are in his right arm and right side, where Policeman James Murphy's second bullet grazed him.

The case against Kokoski will be pushed because he is looked upon as a "bad actor." He is said to have remarked at a hearing several months ago before a local justice that he would never be arrested by a policeman, if he had a gun.

AGED MUSICIAN ACQUIRES NEW LEASE ON LIFE WITH SALE OF PRIZED VOLUME

That he has been made independently rich by selling outright his book, "8077 Birthdays of Living and Dead Musicians" to J. Pierpont Morgan is the news that John Towers, an eighty-two-year-old veteran singing master and composer, has written Mrs. A. G. Lewis of Meadow avenue, a former pupil and friend. Mr. Towers is now in Philadelphia. He formerly was a Morgantown, W. Va., resident and teacher.

Mr. Towers declared to a Philadelphia newspaper man that he had received several thousand dollars for his valuable work but declined to reveal the exact price. More than 7,000 hours were spent in preparing the book, and the aged musician indicated that he had been paid at the rate of more than a thousand dollars per year for the time devoted to the work.

Mr. Towers who has worked in all

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INSPECTION OF PUMPS ORDERED

Sealer Mikesell to Begin County-Wide Inspection Soon

STATE CHIEF GIVES OPINION

A special county-wide inspection of measuring pumps used extensively for selling oil, gasoline and similar liquids will soon be made by O. Evans Mikesell, sealer of weights and measures. The local county department is just in receipt of a letter from the chief of the bureau of standards, Harrisburg enclosing an opinion from the attorney general of the state, in which a request is made for a special inspection of such pumps.

Sealer Mikesell in commenting upon the comunication received from the state bureau of standards said: "It is true that such a request has been received by the local office of weights and measures and this inspection will be made just as rapidly as possible or as rapidly as the facilities and weather will permit. Under the new order issued all purchasers of new pumps must notify this office and have an inspection made before said pumps can be placed in public use. All jobbers and agents must now notify this office of all sales within this county and co-operate in having these tests made.

"The opinion handed the chief of the bureau of Standards at Harrisburg by the Attorney General says 'The construction of these pumps is such that they are adapted to expel a definite quantity of the particular liquid at each stroke. The salient features of the pump comprise a cylinder having a plunger rod therein, at the lower end of which is a plunger. This plunger may be adjusted upon its rod so as to vary the volume of liquid expelled.'"

LEGISLATURE CENSURES "TWELVE WILFUL MEN"

After a two hour debate the house at Harrisburg Wednesday passed the Walters resolution censuring the senators who participated in the filibuster in the United States senate that resulted in the defeat of the armed neutrality bill. Representative Maurer of Berks county, the lone Socialist member of the house, led the opposition to the resolution, being supported by Representative Beyer, floor leader of the anti-administration forces in the house and Representative Woodward of Allegheny and Milliron of Armstrong.

A test vote on a motion made by Representative Woodward to postpone the resolution indefinitely was lost by a vote of 66 for postponement to 83 for action. The resolution as it was finally passed by a viva voce vote eliminated the word "unpatriotic" from the resolution. No other changes were made. Both house and senate adjourned until 9 o'clock Monday morning after passing routine bills.

BELIEVE SINKING OF BOAT WAR ACT

U. S. Officials of Opinion Armament Would Have Saved Algonquin

QUICK DECISION MAY FOLLOW

That the sinking of the Algonquin by a German submarine was an act of war is the belief of officials in Washington. However the President is held as powerless to act further than to authorize that a state of armed neutrality be maintained.

When congress convenes in special session in April it is expected the President will give to that body complete data of German affairs to date. That there will then be speedy decision as to the future is the pronounced belief at Washington. The crisis may be reached before that time, however. An expressed opinion today was that the Algonquin would not have been sunk had it been armed.

LOCAL FIRM DEFENDS CASE OF CONTRACTORS

Regan And Hormell Answer Hyde Park Concern That Electrical Equipment For High School Was Not up To Specifications.

The suit of the B. F. Sturtevant Co. of Hyde Park Mass. against Regan & Hormell, contractors of Charleroi, was taken up before Judge J. A. McIlvaine Wednesday in common pleas court. The case was set for the first week of court, but was continued over pending some effort to have the case continued to the May term. However that continuance could not be agreed upon and the court would not grant the motion of the defense for a continuance. The case has been continued three times. The delay has been by reason of the serious illness of an important witness and that witness is not yet able to appear.

The suit involves a claim for $725, alleged due for two electric fan propellers sold the defendant firm for installation in the high school building at Charleroi. The dispute arises over the allegation of the defendant firm that the motors did not come up to specifications. It is averred that after they were installed they did not work satisfactorily, that they made so much noise that they interfered with school work and that as a result they had to be taken out. It is averred the same were rejected by both the supervising architect of the school building and the school board.

Before Judge R. W. Irwin was heard Wednesday suit of Joseph Puskarich against the Ellsworth Collieries company. It is a claim for damages for personal injuries sustained while he was employed as a motorman in the mine of the defendant company at Ellsworth. The accident, in which the plaintiff was injured, occurred on July 28, 1916. Puskarich on that date was running a

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ST. PATRICK'S SOCIAL TO BE HELD TONIGHT AT LOCAL CHURCH

The following program has been arranged for the St. Patrick's Day social to be held at the First Presbyterian church at eight o'clock this evening under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society:

Selection ....High School Orchestra
Tenor solo .....W. C. Clark
Clarinet solo, "Ernani" (Verdi)..
.....Felix Repine
Soprano solo. "Mission of a Rose."
(Cowen) Miss Elizabeth Steinbaugh
Selection ....High School Orchestra
Baritone solo .....Joseph Pearson
Piano solo .....Miss Leila Orange
Soprano solo .....Miss Mary Glunt
Selection ....High School Orchestra
Tenor solo .....Walter J. Ailes
Violin solo .....Clare Guswiler
Baritone solo.....Earl Nicholson
Selection .....High School Orchestra

SHEET AND TINPLATE WORKMEN GET INCREASE

Notification Made at Monessen Mill—Tinplate Men Will Receive Five Percent Additional and Sheet Men 1 1-8 Percent Additional .

Sheet and tinplate workers employed under the hotmill scale at the Monessen and other plants of the American Sheet and Tinplate company, have been notified of an advance in wages to become effective at once. Tin plate men will receive five per cent additional and sheet workers 1 1-8 percent additional. Probably 750 men will be affected.

The increase is the fifth declared at the plants of the company since January 1, 1915. At Monessen there are about 1,500 men employed, with a monthly payroll of $175,000.

FIREWORKS EXPECTED WHEN TAYLOR AND DESANDERS FACE EACH OTHER AT RINK MONDAY

When two fighters enter the ring with the express determination of knocking each other out, then the chances are that there will be some fireworks before the termination of the battle. Such will be the case in Charleroi Monday night, when Fighting Sammy Taylor of Charleroi, formerly of Detroit and Dick DeSanders of Pittsburg collide over the 10 round route. Though scheduled by ten rounds, the chances are against it lasting that long. Both boys are approaching the best form for this scrap.

The semi-final will be between Eddie Hazel, the former Monongahela boy and Jimmy Crowley, the latest Pittsburg sensation. Crowley easily won his latest bouts and he is considered one of Pennsylvania's best lightweights. He is now matched with Young Henny in the main bout at the South Side show next Saturday night. Hazel has been fighting main bouts in Pittsburg and Altoona and is a hard man to tackle. The second bout will be a go between Young Carmen of Charleroi and Jimmy O'Day of Pittsburg. This should be a good bout. The opening bout will be between two Charleroi boys Kid Dillon and Young Cowboy.

DEVELOPMENT IN PACKET TRADE

Valley Gem Expected to Pick up Immense Trade Along Monongahela

PROJECT GETS GOOD BACKING

Partly because of the congestion in railroad freight, the packet trade of the Monongahela valley is expected to develop steadily from this time forth. Especially do expectations run high with the introduction to the Monongahela valley trade of the new packet, Valley Gem, Captain Orvall Noll.

Captain Noll formerly operated the packet Renovah on the Monongahela. It proved too small to handle the steadily growing business and the Valley Gem was secured from the Muskingum river. It made its first trip Monday, loaded to the water edge with freight consigned to merchants in Morgantown, Fairmont and intermediate points. One important shipment was a large lot of fruit and construction material consigned to the U. S. government boarding house at North Charleroi.

Fairmont and Morgantown have pledged in financial support to Captain Noll's project the sum of $5,000. The Valley Gem is a neat and commodious packet of light draft and of large freight capacity. It is also fitted out with cabin accommodations and will be adapted to excursions during the summer. It is said to be a fast going craft and will make between Pittsburg and Fairmont three round trips a week.

ELKS NAME OFFICERS FOR THE ENSUING YEAR

J. W. Mathias is Elected Exalted Ruler—Installation Ceremonies to Take Place First Meeting Night of April

Officers of Charleroi lodge, No. 494, B. P. O. Elks were elected for the ensuing years at the regular meeting of the lodge Wednesday evening. J. W. Mathias was elected exalted ruler.

Other officers elected were: Esteemed leading knight, Joe T. S. Cowen; esteemed loyal knight, John Jenkins; esteemed lecturing knight, H. L. Swickey; secretary, George W. Risbeck; treasurer, T. B. Eagye; tiler, Robert Vetter; representative to grand lodge, S. W. Sharpnack; alternate representative, A. J. Harner.

Installation of officers will take place the first meeting night of April.

The Ellsworth second baseball team is organized for its third season and wish to meet all second class teams and all light first class teams. Write or call C. H. Freeman Ellsworth Pa., between 5:30 and 7 o'clock.

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TOMORROW

THEDA BARA IN "THE TIGER WOMAN"

AT THE MAJESTIC THEATRE

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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FRIDAY AT COYLE THEATRE

HARRY WALTHALL WHO STARS IN "THE BIRTH OF A NATION" IN "BURNING THE CANDLE"

DIAMONDS

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BECAUSE OF BAD ROADS

Immediately the terrible news reached Pittsburg of the Henderson No. 1 mine explosion Tuesday, the United States Bureau of Mines got into action. Heimetmen with equipment were ready in a jiffy. Then trouble came. It was impossible to secure a team and the Bureau faced delays that might mean death to imprisoned miners. One remedy appeared, that remedy a motor truck, and a flying start to the scene was made.

Part way along the journey the truck plunged into a mudhole, and stuck. Out of this after precious moments of tugging, digging and pulling the truck plunged into another mudhole. Out again the truck slowly continued through a sea of mud on roads almost impassable.

Several hours late the truck arrived at the scene. What those hours meant to the men inside the mine no one knows. Reaching them was impossible, because of bad roads.

It is useless to consider what might have been. The important thing is that we act, making amends for our shortcomings. We want our roads ready when the crucial test comes, ready for the unexpected as well as for the expected.

FOOD INVESTIGATION BILL PASSES HOUSE

The Beyer resolution providing for a joint committee of senators and representatives at Harrisburg to investigate the scarcity and high cost of foodstuffs was passed by the house by a vote of 142 to 12. The committee will consist of three senators and four members of the lower branch and is given an appropriation of $15,000 with which to make investigation. There is every reason to believe that the senate will lose no time in endorsing the action taken by the House and that Governor Brumbaugh will promptly sign the measure.

While in the judiciary general committee, the Beyer resolution was amended to give the Dairy and Food Commission until April 30 to make its report as regards food conditions in the State. This report is expected to be of help to the probe committee.

"Prompt and immediate action" is called for by the resolution and the committee is instructed to "hold as many meetings and hearings as it may deem necessary and to issue subpenas and compel the attendance of witnesses and production of books and papers," and is clothed "with the fullest and most complete powers which the General Assembly and the sovereign powers of a State can confer."

ESTATE OF $530.000 IS WILLED BY BENJ. BRAZNELL

An estate worth $530.000 is disposed of in the will of the late Benjamin Braznell, a retired coal operator, who at the time of his death lived at 1038 North Negley avenue, Pittsburg, filed for probate in the Allegheny register's office. The personal estate is estimated to be worth $390,000 and the real estate $140.000. The deceased divided his personal estate de... six parts, giving a share each to ... er, Priscilla Newton, his his sis... in-law, Mrs. Sarah Braznell, daughter... the late A. S. Braznell, as widow of t... him in the coal business; sociated with... a son, and a share to C. W. Braznell, ...tters, Laura B. each of his daug... and Zane Anderson Davis, Lida Turner ... bequeathed to ... The share he ...ed in trust son... ... to be pla... any, which Mrs. Davis ... ...st Comp... real estate in the Braddock Tr... The ... the ... to act as her trustee. ... to ... rate was devised specifical... mber ... above persons and he also rem... T. ea his three granddaughters, Myra ... Williams, Dorothy J. Williams and Mrs. Mary E. Oliver, each being given a piece of property.

CHARLEROI YOUNGSTERS TO DO BOXING ACT ON STAGE

Demarco Brothers, Charleroi youngsters of about six or seven, have received an offer and will go on the stage. They have become known in Pennsylvania by reason of their boxing exhibitions, and it is because of this that they were made their offer.

You can cure that cold in a day. Take—

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The old family remedy—in tablet form—safe, sure, easy to take. No opiates—no unpleasant after effects. Cures colds in 24 hours—Grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. Get the genuine box with Red Top and Mr. Hill's picture on it—25 cents.
At Any Drug Store

DESMOND TAKES STRONG ROLE IN TODAY'S MAJESTIC PLAY

In "The Last of the Ingrams, which is booked for presentation at the Majestic theatre today, William Desmond plays the part of a drink crazed ne'er-do-well in a stern New England village, and some of the most unusual double exposure scenes reproduced on the screen in many months depict him trying to escape from the specters that pursue him in his delirium. Mr. Desmond will be supported by Margery Wilson and a strong cast. Tomorrow at the Majestic Theda Bara will be featured in "The Tiger Woman," a Fox film.

COLDS NUMEROUS WITH SOME GRIPPE AND LARNYGITIS

Encouraged by March winds colds have multiplied and with grippe, near grip, larnygitis and other affections, have caused considerable suffering and given the doctors plenty to think about. However there is not the prevalence of grip that there was last year, nor do the attacks somehow seem generally as severe. The colds appear to be of the ordinary quality.

CASSIUS S. DAY SELLS WOOL AT 60c a POUND

Cassius S. Day, wool dealer of Old Concord, Morris township, shipped a carload of wool amounting to about 25,000 pounds to an eastern buyer, making in all something over 70,000 pounds of the fabric he has purchased within the past six to eight months. For washed Delaine wool Mr Day received 60 cents the pound and for other wool prices in proportion. The fabric was purchased early last summer for the most part at the then prevailing prices.

PARTY HELD IN HONOR OF MISS GEORGENE PARSONS

Miss Lyda Lambert entertained Wednesday evening at her home in Coal Centre in honor of Miss Georgene Parsons who will leave Saturday morning for Cleveland, Ohio, where she has accepted a position with the Federal Underwriters Association. Bridge was the chief diversion of the evening favors being awarded to J. Stuart Barnes of Uniontown and Miss Georgene Parsons. The St. Patrick's day idea was carried out in the decorations, luncheon and musical program. Favors were tiny address books bound in green. Out of town guests were from Charleroi, Dunbar, Uniontown, Pittsburg and Akron, Ohio.

SCHOOL CHILDREN SEE WALTHALL FILMED

Baton Rouge, La., declared a holiday to witness the filming of several scenes by Henry B. Walthall and his company of Essanay players. It was considered an educational entertainment and public school children were marched out to the scenes. Droves of motorists brought basket luncheons and invited the photo-players to partake with them. The feature is "Burning the Candle." It presents Mr. Walthall in a powerful lesson on theocracy. Coyle Theatre Friday.

229-t1p

LOCAL GIRL WEDS BELLE VERNON MAN IN PASSAIC

News has been received of the wedding of Miss Catherine Gray, daughter of Mrs. Catherine Gray of 819 McKean avenue and Fred Graham of Belle Vernon. The ceremony was performed in Passaic, N. J., and came as a surprise to the friends of the young couple.

HANDCUFFS SHOT FROM HANDS IN TODAY'S COYLE DRAMA

One of the unusual incidents in "The Golden Fetter" which will be ... at the Coyle today with Anita ... seen ... Wallace Reid in the stellar ... ing and ... the two are handcuffed ... is when ... Reid severs the chain ... roles, ... and Mr... volver. Although ... together ... m his ... suffer from a ... by a shot fr... posed to ... the shot, Mr. Reid is sup... result o... broken wrist as a ... taken ... to see every precaution was ... pened. ... that no such accident hap... in spite of all precautions a small, sharp ... wrist was heavily taped but ... projection on the handcuff made a deep incision in his arm. Supporting the two stars is a strong cast.

A new thing for a cigarette to do—

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of IMPORTED *and* DOMESTIC *tobaccos—Blended*

They "Satisfy"!—and yet they're Mild

PICKED UP IN PASSING

The country had always been their home and probably always would be, consequently they were making the most of their first trip to the city. They did not know much about pictures, but they visited the art museum, where among other treasures they saw a mummy over which hung a card on which was printed "B. C. 97." They were mystified.

"What do you make of that, Jim?" said John.

"I should say it was the number of the car that killed him."

"The movies are doing for the drama," said the old actor sadly. "If things keep on at this rate you'll hear on or about the year 1927 of one of Nat Beuchin picked up in a famished condition on the roadside by a rich banker in a motor car.

"What's your name, my poor fellow?" says the banker.

"'Bluechin, sir,' the actor replies.

"'Any profession?'

'Actor, sir.'

"'Hump!' says the good Samaritan. "I am a banker myself. Since the advent of the films I've rather forsaken the theatre. Why come to think of it, I don't believe I've been inside a theatre for twelve years.'

"'I'm sure it's quite that long,' says poor Bluechin, 'since I've been inside a bank, sir.'"

"Well, did he pay you?" asked the wife of a dentist who had been to collect a bill for a full set of false teeth that he had made for a man almost a year before.

"Pay me," growled the dentist. "Not only did he refuse to pay me, but he actually had the effrontery to gyash at me—with my teeth."

West's Millinery opening Saturday, March 17. Hats and shirt waists.

229-t2

Notice to Contractors

Sealed proposals will be received at the Borough Clerk's office, Charleroi, Pa., until Tuesday, April 3rd, 1917 at 12 o'clock noon for the erection of a three story above basement, Municipal Building 60 by 100 feet in accordance with requirements and specifications copies of which may be had on application at the office of the architect J. C. Brenton, Charleroi, Pa. All bids must be accompanied by a bidding bond or Certified check to the amount of 2 1-2 per cent of bid. The Borough Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids received and to readvertise if deemed for the best interest of the Borough. By authority of Borough Clerk,

Ira L. Nickeson.
Borough Clerk

Charleroi, Pa., March 10, 1917.

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NORTH CHARLEROI

E. A. Culp of Belle Vernon was a caller here.

Mrs. J. O. Watson was a recent caller in Pittsburg.

Miss Grace Phillips was a caller in Monessen Tuesday.

Miss Janet Cameron of Fayette City visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles Carson.

Mrs. Harry Vaughn and Mrs. John Phillips were callers in Monessen Wednesday.

Mrs. C. B. Crabb is visiting at the home of her parents in Ambridge.

West's Millinery opening Saturday, March 17. Hats and shirt waists.

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CHICHESTER S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ter's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable.
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

SICK WIFE'S STORY SURPRISES CHARLEROI

The following has surprised Charleroi: A business man's wife suffered from dyspepsia and constipation for years. Although she dieted she was so bloated her clothes would not fit. ONE SPOONFUL buckthorn bark glycerine etc., as mixed in Adler-i-ka relieved her INSTANTLY. Because Adler-i-ka empties BOTH large and small intestine it relieves ANY CASE constipation, sour stomach or gas and prevents appendicitis. It has QUICKEST action of anything we ever sold. Hennings Drug Store.

We have just received a new line of beautiful silk dresses for Spring. Berryman's. 228-t2

CLASSIFIED

WANTED—Work in hotel or home. Apply 891 Mail office. 226-t4p

WANTED—Place in hotel as chambermaid or general worker. 895 Mail office. 227-t3p.

WANTED—One room and kitchenette furnished. Apply 897 Mail office. T&S-p

WANTED—House or hotel work in Charleroi, by girl. 911 Lincoln. 229-2-p.

WANTED—Boy about 16 years old to work in store. Apply Greenbergs. 225-tf

WANTED—Office girl for doctor's office. Inquire 890 Mail office. 224-tf

WANTED—Salesmen to sell real estate near the new mill of Carnegie Steel company. Commission paid for spare time men. Apply at Central Real Estate company, Monessen or call Bell Phone 260 Monessen. 226-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room with board, 321 Washington. 226-tf

FOR RENT—Three rooms and bath 803 Fallowfield. 228-t3

FOR RENT—Three room flat Inquire Greenbergs. 224-tf

FOR RENT—Store room at 609 McKean avenue. Inquire Peoples Realty Co 228-t6p

FOR RENT—Five roomed flat, with bath. Vacant April 1. Inquire Frye Hardware Co., 518 Fallowfield Avenue. 229-tfeod

FOR RENT—Farm. 113 acres. house, barn and out buildings, ten minutes from brick road and street car line, running from Charleroi to Bentleyville. Inquire of Kerfoot W. Daly. Bank of Charleroi, Charleroi, Pa. 229-t12

FOR SALE—At reasonable price 10 room house. with all accommodations, located on Washington avenue, best location to rent furnished rooms. always occupied at a good rental, owner will sell part of furniture if desired, inquire E. J. Charles, Charleroi Savings and Trust Co. 225-tf

FOR SALE—One five passenger touring car. Run 700 miles. In perfect condition. Bargain to quick buyer. Reason for selling, leaving town. Inquire 628 Geary street, Monongahela, Pa., from 7 a. m. to 1 p. m. Friday, Saturday or Sunday. 229-t3p

FOR SALE—Four room house with bath, situated on paved street down town. Now renting for $20.00. Will sell for $2200.00. Can arrange terms. Address 894 Mail office. 227-t6p

FOR SALE—Seven room house with bath. Inquire 203 Prospect avenue. 227-t5

FOUND—Man's silver watch on Fourth street. Owner may have same by claiming property at police station and paying for this ad. 228-t2

Scholl Foot Expert Here Now

Gives His Services Free

The Scholl foot expert now at this store has helped many people to overcome their foot troubles, to obtain genuine and lasting foot comfort. He is here for a short time only and we urge you, if you have foot ailments of any kind whatsoever, to come in at once and let the expert inspect your feet.

Absolutely no charge whatever for the Scholl foot expert's services and you will be under no obligation either to him or to us. You will not be asked to buy anything nor need you be a regular customer of this store. The expert will be here only

March 16 and 17

When this store closes on that date the expert's visit in this city will be at an end. After that date it will be impossible for you to see him. So come in at once, before Saturday if possible, and come early in the day to be sure of his best and most thorough attention.

Tell Him Your Foot Troubles

If you have corns, callouses, bunions, sudden cramps in the toes or just back of them, weak ankles, weak or fallen arches, pains in the heels, pains in the ankles or limbs, tired, aching feet, any foot troubles at all, come and see the Scholl foot expert and let him show you how to get quick relief and lasting comfort.

Claybaugh & Milliken

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Mahieu's Specials

Fancy White Potatoes, pk	80c
Splendid Grape Fruits, large 10c size, 4 for	25c
Carrots, lb.	6c
Extra Fancy Cranberries, 4 full qts	25c
Sunkist Oranges, doz	15c
Navel Oranges, doz	20c, 25c and 40c
Good juicy Lemons, doz	17c
Ruta Boga, per lb	5c
Large sound fancy Onions, lb	10c
Blue Rose Rice, 4 lbs. for	25c
Tego Rice, 3 lb. cloth bags, per bag	20c
Slightly Broken Rice, 5 lbs. for	25c
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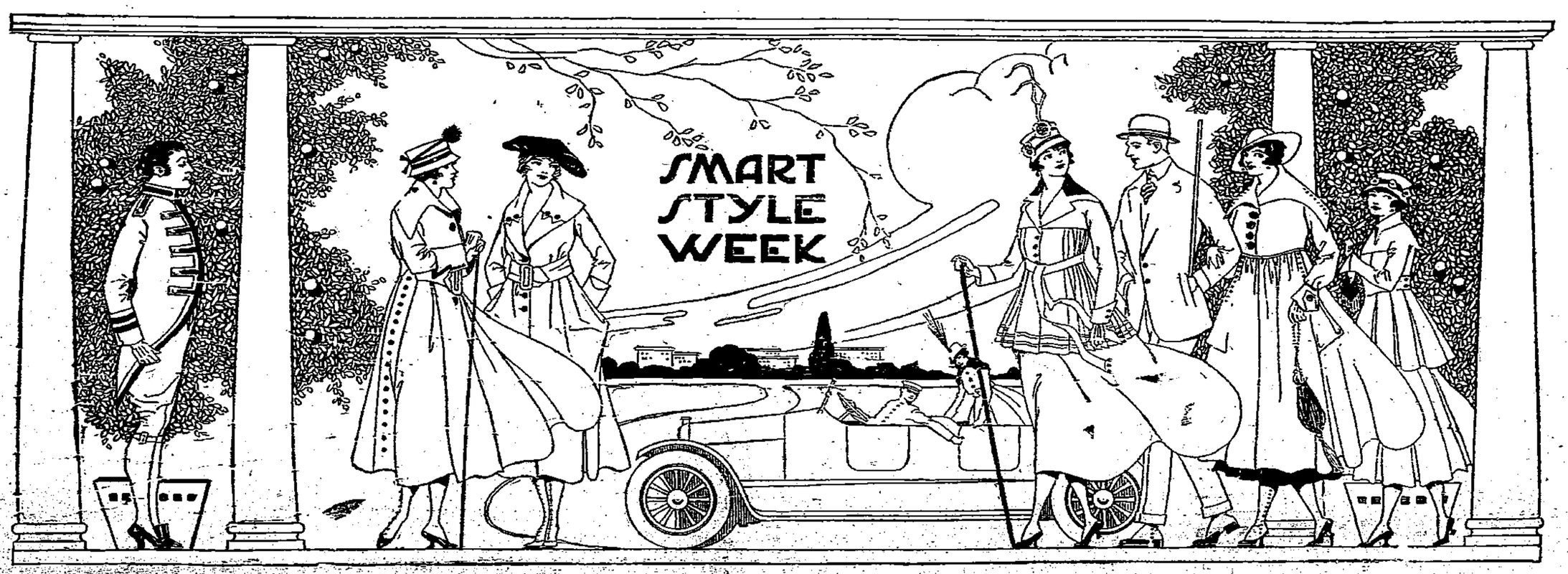

Berryman's Store being the foremost distributor of fashion in Charleroi, our Annual Spring Millinery Opening has always been an event of interest to nearly every woman of Charleroi and vicinity. This year we expect it to eclipse all former occassions. For my lady in quest of authentic style and individual requirement our variety of shapes and trimmings will prove a revelation. Never so easy as now to choose a pretty hat, so distinctive, each with an individuality all its own. Millinery, always a feature of our opening, will be unusually attractive, and we earnestly request you to be present. Other features of our spring opening will be an immense showing of new Spring Merchandise throughout the entire store such as new Silks and Dress Goods, Handsome Rugs and Pretty Carpets, new Hosiery, Corsets, Underwear, Gloves and New Wearables for Men and Boys. The Special Feature of our opening will be the beginning of "Smart Style Week" in our Ladies' Ready-to-wear department, and continueing for the entire week until March 24th. Ideas of dress for all women will be on display. So that no one need be in doubt as to the best style and most becoming Suit, Coat, Dress or Skirt. Modes for every type of women.

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PERSONALS

A wedding of local interest occurred Wednesday evening at Pittsburg, when Miss Edna Prescott and John Madigan of Monessen were married at St. Catherine's church. They left on a wedding trip for the east.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. White of Coraopolis visited over Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bosson of Seventh street.

Mrs. R. E. Tippins and son are visiting at Huntingdon.

Miss Rose Lundy was a caller in Pittsburg Thursday.

Mrs. Robert Lowe of Donora visited with her mother Mrs. William Brounce Thursday.

Mrs. Herman Christopher and Miss Eleanor Ailes have gone to Youngstown to visit with Mrs. Christopher's parents Mr. and Mrs. Newton Carson.

Prof. T. L. Pollock, superintendent of schools, was in Washington on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Chalfant were in Monessen Wednesday evening to attend a surprise reception tendered in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McKelvie, who were lately married.

Misses Ruth Hethemington and Elizabeth Elliott of the school force are in Washington.

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Notice to Respondent.

To Nelson Piper, respondent in the above mentioned case: You are hereby notified in pursuance of the Order of Court of Common Pleas of said County of Washington, to be and appear in the said Court on the first Monday of April next, being the 2nd day of the month, to answer the petition of libel hereto preferred by the libellant, Grace Kaupp Piper your wife and show cause if any you have why the said Grace Kaupp Piper should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you agreeably to the Act of Assembly, in such cases made and provided. Hereof fail not under the penalty of having said petition heard and a decree of divorce granted in your absence.

Frank B. Wickerham,
Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office:
March 6, 1917.

M-S-15-22-29.

West's Millinery opening Saturday, March 17. Hats and shirt waists.

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Executor's Notice.

Estate of Samuel Winnett, deceased, late of Long Branch borough, Washington Co., Pa.

Letters testamentary upon the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to those indebted thereto to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands to present them for settlement.

A. M. Winnett,
Clarke E. Winnett,
Speers, R. F. D., Pa.

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the great music centers of this country and Europe, and who has seen many triumphs and vicissitudes during his career, was endowed with a new lease of life. He says he will probably revisit some of the scenes of his childhood, especially in the vicinity of Manchester, England, where he was once leading singing boy in the Cathedral choir.

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LOCAL FIRM DEFENDS CASE

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motor through an entry to the main entry, where he turned the car over to another motor to carry on out to the bottom of the shaft.

The accident occurred, according to the allegation of the plaintiff, where some of the roof of the entry had been blasted down to fill up a low place in the track bed of the entry. The allegation of the plaintiff was that at this point, as he was riding his motor a large quantity of roof fell. He was badly hurt about the head and body.

The defense moved for a compulsory non-suit at the conclusion of the plaintiff's case. It was averred that no negligence had been shown. The court overruled the motion and stated it would hear a motion for binding instructions at the close of the case.

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